SENTENCE CONNECTORS AND CONJUNCTIONS

1. Answer TRUE (T) or FALSE (F)

a. A sentence connector links clauses in a sentence.

b. A conjunction links one or one sentence with another.

c. To link two clauses, we use only one conjunction, not two.

d. We always put a comma between clauses linked by a conjunction.

e. Sentence connectors usually come at the beginning of a sentence. However, there are a few exceptions.

f. A comma is not necessary after a sentence connector.

g. Sentence connectors can never be used to link clauses in a sentence.

h. Some conjunctions require the assistance of an extra word in the second clause.

i. *At last* is a synonym for *Lastly* or *Finally.*

j. *However* is always a sentence connector.

k. *Even so* and *Even though* are synonyms.

l. *As well as, apart from, besides, despite, in spite of, due to, during* are conjunctions.

2. Fill in the blanks. Use the words in the box.

THEREFORE ALTHOUGH CONSEQUENTLY IN ORDER TO IN ADDITION TOO AS WELL AS DURING

3. There are two of the previous words/phrases that are neither conjunctions nor connectors. Write them in the order they appear on the text.

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Healthy eating – Learn to eat for a healthy life.

'Healthy eating' essentially involves following a balanced diet which includes all the different food groups in appropriate proportions. healthy eating is important for everyone, it is of particular significance for young people. In the early years of life people's bones and muscles grow rapidly, and a good diet is necessary this period avoid illness.

Deficiencies in important minerals can result in health problems, either immediately or in later life. Iron deficiency is common in young people, caused by rapid growth and a fast pace of life, and this can result in anaemia. you should eat a diet rich in iron, including red meat and fresh vegetables such as broccoli. Calcium deficiency can lead to osteoporosis in old age, which causes bones to become very brittle and break easily. diet should be rich in calcium, from foods such as yoghurt, cheese and milk.

preventing illness, there are other advantages of healthy eating. Healthy eating provides us with the energy needed for sport or simply going out with friends. it keeps your mind sharp and allows you to concentrate better on work. By eating well you can keep your skin, hair and nails looking good.

There are so many benefits of healthy eating and it doesn't have to be a chore. Eating well can be something enjoyable. Remember: invest in a balanced diet now and you will be rewarded with the health benefits throughout your life!

4. Say if the following sentences are C (correct) or W (wrong)

a. As long as, you love me, I don´t care who you are.

b. I love 90´s music, because many talented artists from different music genres were able to capture the 90´s teens 'emotions of the time.

c. Having a professional teach you to sing is best; however, it can be very expensive.

d. I´d no sooner passed my Language 3 exam than Ariel started playing Mariah again for an essay.

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e. Passing Language 3 has not been an easy task. First, I had to analyse hundreds of Mariah´s songs. Then, I had to sing them aloud and deeply analyse them. At last, Ariel gave us the passing mark just if we showed we had changed our thoughts on Mariah´s music.

f. However I analyse Mariah´s songs, I always reach to the same conclusion: she is a superb musician!

g. Even so I don´t like Mariah´s songs, I must admit she is a superb singer!

5. Match the ideas in (i) and (ii) and use the word in brackets to write either a single sentence (as in 1) or two sentences (as in 2), as appropriate. Note that you can put the ideas in (ii) first in the sentence.

(i)	(ii)
1 I knew there was something wrong	a I found the film boring
2 prepare the remaining vegetables	b Johan must weigh over 120 kilos
3 his wife is really small	c to prepare for the marathon
4 only about 100 people attended	d ~~she said she was feeling fine~~
5 I can't afford a coat like that	e I don't like the style
6 I'm determined to finish the report	f ~~leave the carrots to cool for a few minutes~~
7 you'll have to walk all the way from the station	g make sure you catch the last bus at 11:00
8 I stayed until the end	h I have to stay at work until midnight
9 her husband would never find it	i she hid the letter between the pages of a book
10 I've been running about 200 kilometres a week	j there had been a lot of publicity about the meeting

1 (even though) (+ d) I knew there was something wrong, even though she said she was feeling fine. or Even though she said she was feeling fine I knew there was something wrong.

2 (meanwhile) (+ f) Leave the carrots to cool for a few minutes. Meanwhile, prepare the remaining vegetables.

3 (whereas)

4 (even so)

5 (besides)

6 (even if)

7 (otherwise)

8 (although)

9 (so that)

10 (in order to)

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